GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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HUMAN TRAFFICKING RACKET
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether many air hostesses/flight officials of various airlines have come under the scanner of Mumbai police and DGCA after crime branch busted human trafficking racket around two months back;

(b) if so, the number of officials convicted/facing trial; and

(c) the names of the offending airlines?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION(SHRI PRAFUL PATEL)

(a): Yes, Sir. One Air Hostess Ms. Aliya Abbasali Rizvi and Flight Purser Mr. Sarfaraj Sherali Virani, were arrested in Detective Crime Branch, Criminal Investigation Department C.R. No. 120/07.

(b) and (c): Ms. Aliya Abbasali Rizvi, employed with Jet Airways,and Flight Purser Mr. Sarfaraj Sherali Virani,employed with Inter Global Air transport,New Delhi were involved in cheating and forgery case, by way of abetting to get U.S. Visa to the persons desiring to migrate from India to U.S.A.